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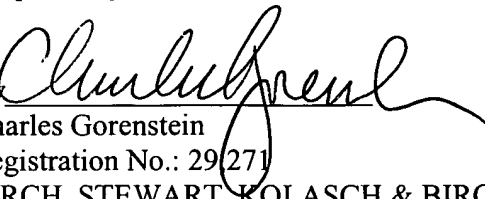
Sir:

Subsequent to the filing of the above-identified application on July 1, 2005, attached hereto are an English translation of International Preliminary Report on Patentability (*Form PCT/IB/373*) with a Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority (*Form PCT/ISA/237*) that should be made of record in the present application.

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